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510(k) Premarket Notification

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DRLock™ Distal Radius Volar System**510(k) SUMMARY****Submitter's Name, Address, Telephone Number, Contact Person and Date Prepared.**

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**Name of Device**

DRLock™ Distal Radius Volar System

**Common or Usual Name**

Fixation Plates and Screws

**Classification Name**

Single/Multiple Component Metallic Fixation Appliances and Accessories

**Predicate Devices**

Hand Innovations Distal Volar Radius Fracture Repair System (K0022775)  
Synthes (USA) Stainless Steel Modular Hand System (K030310)

**Intended Use**

The system is used to stabilize and aid in the fusion of fractures and osteotomies of the distal radius.

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**Device Description**

The DRLock™ Distal Radius Volar System (DRLock) is a series of metallic (stainless steel), implantable, bone fixation plates, pegs and screws. Its' intended use is to stabilize and aid in the fusion of fractures and osteotomies involving the distal radius.

The System includes four (4) fixation plates, twenty-five (25) screws and eleven (11) pegs. All screws and plates are made from type 316L Stainless Steel in conformance with ASTM F 138 Standard Specification for Wrought 18Chromium-14Nickel-2.5Molybdenum Stainless Steel Bar and Wire for Surgical Implants.

**Performance Data**

Finite Element Analysis in conjunction with mechanical testing confirms that the DRLock System is substantially equivalent to its' predicate devices, and that it meets specified requirements for its' intended use.



DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH & HUMAN SERVICES

Public Health Service

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Food and Drug Administration  
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Mr. Lee A. Strnad  
Senior Development Manager  
OrthoHelix Surgical Designs, Inc.  
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Re: K053182  
Trade/Device Name: DRLock Distal Radius Volar System  
Regulation Number: 21 CFR 888.3030  
Regulation Name: Single/multiple component metallic bone fixation appliances and accessories  
Regulatory Class: II  
Product Codes: HRS  
Dated: January 25, 2006  
Received: January 26, 2006

Dear Mr. Strnad:

We have reviewed your Section 510(k) premarket notification of intent to market the device referenced above and have determined the device is substantially equivalent (for the indications for use stated in the enclosure) to legally marketed predicate devices marketed in interstate commerce prior to May 28, 1976, the enactment date of the Medical Device Amendments, or to devices that have been reclassified in accordance with the provisions of the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act (Act) that do not require approval of a premarket approval application (PMA). You may, therefore, market the device, subject to the general controls provisions of the Act. The general controls provisions of the Act include requirements for annual registration, listing of devices, good manufacturing practice, labeling, and prohibitions against misbranding and adulteration.

If your device is classified (see above) into either class II (Special Controls) or class III (PMA), it may be subject to such additional controls. Existing major regulations affecting your device can be found in the Code of Federal Regulations, Title 21, Parts 800 to 898. In addition, FDA may publish further announcements concerning your device in the Federal Register.

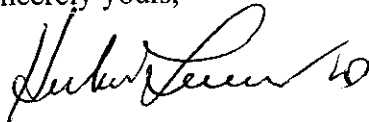
Please be advised that FDA's issuance of a substantial equivalence determination does not mean that FDA has made a determination that your device complies with other requirements of the Act or any Federal statutes and regulations administered by other Federal agencies. You must comply with all the Act's requirements, including, but not limited to: registration and listing (21

CFR Part 807); labeling (21 CFR Part 801); good manufacturing practice requirements as set forth in the quality systems (QS) regulation (21 CFR Part 820); and if applicable, the electronic product radiation control provisions (Sections 531-542 of the Act); 21 CFR 1000-1050.

This letter will allow you to begin marketing your device as described in your Section 510(k) premarket notification. The FDA finding of substantial equivalence of your device to a legally marketed predicate device results in a classification for your device and thus, permits your device to proceed to the market.

If you desire specific advice for your device on our labeling regulation (21 CFR Part 801), please contact the Office of Compliance at (240) 276-0120. Also, please note the regulation entitled, "Misbranding by reference to premarket notification" (21CFR Part 807.97). You may obtain other general information on your responsibilities under the Act from the Division of Small Manufacturers, International and Consumer Assistance at its toll-free number (800) 638-2041 or (301) 443-6597 or at its Internet address <http://www.fda.gov/cdrh/industry/support/index.html>.

Sincerely yours,



for

Mark N. Melkerson, M.S.

Acting Director

Division of General, Restorative and Neurological Devices

Office of Device Evaluation

Center for Devices and Radiological Health

Enclosure

## Indications for Use

510(k) Number (if known): K053182

Device Name: DRLock™ Distal Radius Volar System

Indications for Use:

The DRLock Distal Radius Volar System is indicated for the fixation of unstable distal radius fractures and osteotomies.

Prescription Use X  
(Part 21 CFR 801 Subpart D)

AND/OR


Over-The-Counter Use \_\_\_\_\_  
(21 CFR 801 Subpart C)

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